Serial No.	Description of wood	Lot No.	Quantity Tons.	Cwt.	lbs.	Remarks
	Talwadi Inam wood.					
13	Milva Chilta	1	0	5	70	
14	Basola Bukni	1	0	5	0	
		Total ...	0	10	70	
	Hassan Koti.					
26	Basola Bukni	1	8	0	0	
27	Do	1	7	6	56	
		Total ...	15	6	55	
	Bommenahalli Inam Sandalwood.					
14	Basola Bukni	1	0	2	0	
	Undanoor Inam wood.					
11	Basola Bukni	1	0	0	84	
	Halsur Inam wood.					
11	Basola Bukni	1	0	2	0	
	Shimoga Koti.					
29	Milva Chilta	2	18	0	0	
33	Do	3	13	0	0	
		Total ...	31	10	0	
	Sagar Koti.					
21	Milva Chilta	1	10	0	0	
22	Do	2	5	0	0	
36	Do	5	5	0	0	
		Total ...	20	0	0	
	Tirthahalli Koti.					
20	Milva Chilta	1	8	0	0	
21	Do	2	6	0	0	
		Total ...	14	0	0	
		Grand Total ...	168	15	98	

M. G. RAMA RAO,
Conservator of Forests.

BANGALORE DISTRICT.

PAPLI BARK.

Auction sale Notification dated 10th February 1917.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting Papli bark on all Government lands, plantations, and State Forests from 12th March 1917 to 30th June 1917 in the Closepet Range, will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer or the Range Officer concerned on the 5th March 1917 at the Closepet Range Officer. The auction will commence at 2 P.M.

2. Defaulters on account of previous leases will not be permitted to bid.

3. No person will be allowed to bid unless he has deposited with the officer holding the sale, a sum of Rs. 20. The deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately after the sale.

4. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer, who at his discretion, may accept or reject the highest or any other bid without assigning any reason therefor.

5. The successful bidder shall, at the close of the sale, credit into the Taluk Treasury one-quarter of the total rental including the deposit already made together with local cess at one anna per rupee. In default, the deposit will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resale will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, who will be liable to make good any loss, that may result to Government by it, but will not participate in any profit accruing therefrom.

6. If the sale is not confirmed by the District Forest Officer, the amount paid will be refunded to the party.

7. Within ten days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale, the accepted bidder shall execute an agreement on a duly stamped paper binding himself to observe the

conditions hereunder mentioned. In default, the acceptance of his bid will be revoked, the money already paid forfeited and the right resold. At the same time, he shall deposit in the Government Savings Bank one-quarter of the sale amount as security for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the lease, which will be returned to him after the expiry of the period of lease.

N.B.—The Government will not make any extra demand for lands resigned from occupation and the lessee shall not be entitled to any rebate on account of lands taken up for cultivation during the currency of the lease. Further conditions to be entered in the agreement.

(*a*) To hold himself responsible to prevent the cutting of tender stems under one year by himself, his servants or agents.

(*b*) To furnish a list of sub-contractors and mestris, who may be appointed by him for the collection of the bark.

(*c*) To work out the lease himself and not to transfer or sublet it to others without the previous sanction of the District Forest Officer.

(*d*) The barked wood to be the property of the lessee.

(*e*) To keep accounts showing the quantity of the bark collected and removed in accordance with the lease and to permit the inspection of such accounts by the District Forest Officer or Range Officer or any other officer deputed by either of them.

(*f*) To render every month to the District Forest Officer an account of quantity of the bark collected and carted during the month.

(*g*) To provide printed passes for the export of the bark under his signature for each cart-load in such form as may be prescribed by the District Forest Officer.

(*h*) The lessee should be held responsible for the occurrence of any fire within the State Forests or plantations, if there is sufficient reason for the Forest Department to think that it has been caused by his negligence or by that of his employees. He must be ready to pay such penalty as may be fixed by the District Forest Officer in all such cases.

(*i*) To remove out of the limit of the district before 31st July 1917, all bark collected and stored under the terms of this lease.

(*j*) In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions, the security amount will be liable to forfeiture in whole or part at the discretion of the District Forest Officer.

V. ETHIRAJALU NAIDU,
District Forest Officer.

MYSORE WEST DIVISION.

Notification dated February 1917.

It is hereby notified for general information that the undermentioned drift timber has been lying unclaimed near "Kalla Kadu" on the bank of Taraka river near Mattikere in the Heggaddevankote Taluk for the last two months and if the same be not claimed within two months from this date, the same will be confiscated to Government :—

Kind of timber	Length	Girth	C. ft.	Remarks
Bale Matte	30'—0	10'—0	187½	No log number.

P. S. GOVINDA RAO,
District Forest Officer.

KADUR DISTRICT.

Notification, dated Chikmagalur, 6th February 1917.

It is hereby notified for general information that the following quantities of timber will be offered for sale by public auction in the depots of the Kadur District, on the dates specified against each depot by the District Forest Officer, Kadur District :—

TIME :—

No.	Name of depot	Date of sale	Description	Number	C. ft.	Remarks
1	Tarikere ...	27th and 28th February 1917.	Teak, 1st class	100	2,000	
			Do 2nd class	200	4,000	
			Honne	30	1,000	
			Nandi	40	1,000	
			Matti	400	10,000	
			Bite	75	1,500	
			Jungle wood	100	2,500	
			Total ...	945	22,000	